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PRICE TWO CENTS

NEW LOCK PLACED ON CLERK'S OFFICE

Key is Given to D. W. Thompson Who Was Appointed to Position by the County Commissioners.

STOUT STILL IN THE OFFICE

County Attorney Barnes Explains the Grounds Upon Which the Commissioners Have Acted.

Upon the order of the board of county commissioners at the special session Friday morning at which D. W. Thompson, deputy clerk, was appointed to fill the alleged vacancy in the clerk's office, the custodian of the court house has placed a new lock on the door of the clerk's office and has turned the keys over to Thompson. Thompson was instructed to remain in possession of the office and meals were served to him at the court house Friday until the new lock was placed on the door.

Stout still maintains that he is in legal possession of the office, and claims his right to transact all business of the department. Two applications for marriage licenses have been filed since the action of the commissioners Friday and Stout signed both of these as county clerk. Thompson protested that Stout was not legally clerk and therefore had no right or authority to sign the licenses. The county commissioners at the instructions of the county attorney, Seba A. Barnes, are recognizing Thompson's authority.

Thompson expects to ask Governor Goodrich for his commission as soon as the Governor returns from the East to Indianapolis. He is expected at Indianapolis Monday. Stout insists that the commissioners do not have the authority to make the appointment and is holding on to the office at the advice of his attorneys.

County Attorney Barnes declares that the law upholds the action of the commissioners in that the office was vacated by the act of Stout himself and that when a vacancy exists the commissioners have the undisputed authority to fill it.

Explaining the grounds upon which the commissioners acted County Attorney Barnes said:

"That the taxpayers may know the basis for the Commissioners' action in appointing D. W. Thompson Clerk of the Jackson Circuit Court to fill an existing vacancy it is necessary to keep in mind certain basic facts. First Willard Stout vacated and abandoned the office last week. This fact was accomplished in the eye of the law when he surrendered his authority over his office and made an arrangement in writing with the First National Bank at Brownstown, whereby his check on trust funds on deposit in said bank belonging to the clerk's office should not be honored and that all checks against such funds were to be signed by D. W. Thompson, the then Acting Deputy Clerk.

"Later he and the National Surety Company made an arrangement with Coulter Montgomery by which Stout was not to receive or handle or control any public funds belonging to the clerk's office but that all funds paid into the clerk's office and paid out by it should be handled and accounted for solely by Montgomery, as the representative of the said Trust Company, which arrangement was not carried out solely because Montgomery finally declined to act in this anomalous position. The law knows no half way officers and when Stout surrendered any part of his official duties at the behest of the Surety Company he actually surrendered all. Furthermore the said Surety Company has Stout's resignation in its pocket and has had control of his resignation

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THREE INJURED IN AUTO CRASH

Herman Buening, Wife and Niece, of Brownstown, Thrown From Car at Fifth and Walnut.

INJURIES ARE NOT SERIOUS

Car Collides With Hudson Car Owned by T. C. Groub and is Turned Completely Over.

Mr. and Mrs. Herman Buening and their little niece, Miss Marjorie Jameson, aged ten years, of Brownstown, each received painful but not serious injuries when they were thrown from their machine in a collision with a large touring car owned by Thomas Groub and driven by his chauffeur, Sam Carothers, at the corner of Fifth and Walnut streets at 1:30 o'clock this afternoon.

The Buening car, a Ford, was coming east on Fifth street, and the Groub car, a heavy Hudson, was being driven north on Walnut. The high brick wall which surrounds the Humbert property at the southwest corner of the intersection prevented the drivers from seeing one another until too late and the two cars crashed together. The Buening car was turned completely over, the occupants being hurled into the street. Mrs. Buening, who was the most severely hurt, was picked up on the curb fully twenty feet away. She suffered an injured hip and knee. Mr. Buening also suffered an injured hip, and the girl a bruised arm. They were taken to the home of Mr. and Mrs. E. R. Dixon, on Walnut street, and physicians summoned.

The driver of the Groub car was the only occupant of the car, and he was uninjured. The car was only slightly damaged. Carothers, when he saw the Buening car, threw his car clear to the east side of the intersection, but was unable to prevent the collision. Mr. Buening said he did not see the Groub car until he swung into Walnut street and the next instant the cars had crashed together.

That the occupants of the Buening car escaped without serious injury was almost a miracle, according to those who saw the accident. The fact that their car was an open top one was apparently the only thing which prevented them from being pinioned underneath it.

Physicians who attended Mrs. Buening said there were no broken bones nor internal injuries. The Buenings had just arrived in the city from Brownstown when the accident occurred.

CIVIL WAR HEROES PLEDGE LOYALTY ANEW

Heroes of '61 to '65 Offer Their Services to Country in Any Way They May Be Used.

At the regular meeting this afternoon of Ellsworth Post No. 20, G. A. R., a stirring resolution, pledging anew the loyalty to the country the heroes of '61 to '65 have already proved on the field of battle, and offering their services to the country in any capacity in which they are needed, unanimously adopted. The resolution reads as follows:

"We, as an organization of old soldiers who stood by the flag from 1861 to 1865, pledge again our loyalty to the flag and the United States government to uphold the President in maintaining the flag and the honor of the country whenever assailed by a foreign foe, and we hereby tender our services to assist in any way possible to retain the maintenance of Old Glory."

Signed,
John A. Goodale, Commander.
Charles Murphy, Adjutant.

Operetta.

There are still good seats for the Operetta Monday night. The "Bogus School Inspector" is full of fun and the Brownies in themselves are worth seeing, while the flowers are very pretty. Each member of the play fits into his place very well.

Brazil to Co-operate.

By United Press.

Rio De Janeiro, April 21.—Brazil announced today that she will co-operate with the U. S. in sending munitions and supplies to the allies.

HOLLAND HOPES TO KEEP HER BIGGEST LINER

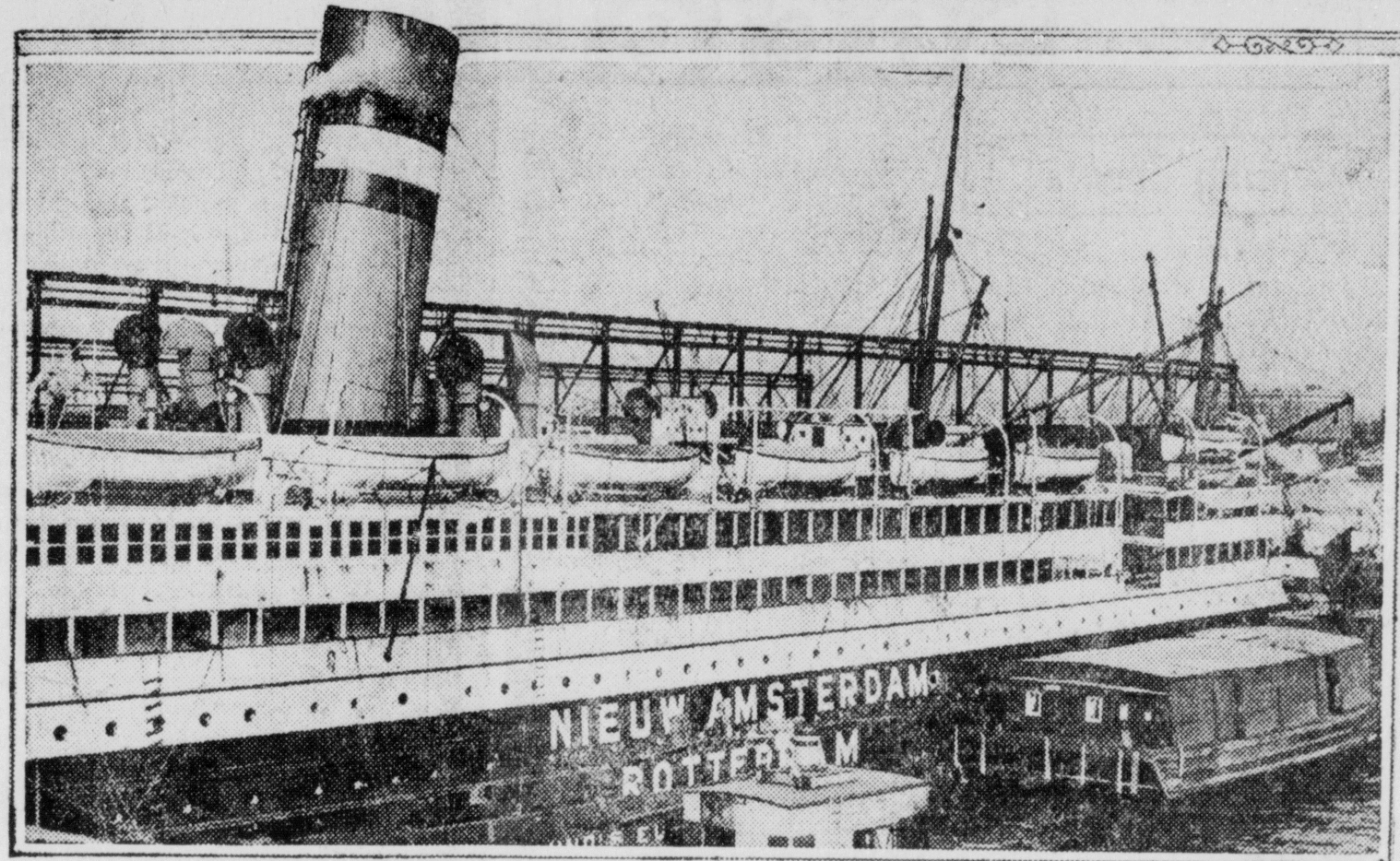


Photo by American Press Association.

Wrought up by the heavy loss in their ocean tonnage through German submarine warfare, the Holland steamship authorities are taking every care of their transatlantic liners. They particularly hope that the Nieuw Amsterdam, Holland's biggest liner, will be saved, so it has been tied up in its port abroad indefinitely.

TRACTOR FARMING MAKING HEADWAY

Twenty of the Powerful, Little Machines Already in Use in Jackson County.

ONE LOCAL FIRM SELLS TEN

Purchasers Think They Are Capable of More Work at Less Expense Than Horses and Mules.

Tractor farming is making rapid headway in Jackson county. The first tractor used in this vicinity was purchased about three years ago by J. B. Thompson, of Hamilton township, and attracted much attention at the time, but now one or more are in use practically every township and the farmers have had opportunity to see just what they can do. The purchasers of the tractors declare that the machines are capable of more work at less maintenance expense than horses and mules and that farm work cannot only be expedited with them but can be done at lower cost. Farmers today are operating their farms very largely on the "cost system" and are quicker to take advantage of time and labor saving devices than ever before.

A representative of one of the tractor manufacturing companies who has been spending the spring months in this city declared that twenty tractors are now in use in Jackson county. Of this number the Cordes Hardware Company has sold ten during the early spring and it is expected that as many more will be in use before the summer is over.

The use of the tractor revolutionizes farm work. One tractor, it is claimed, is capable of doing the work that is required of eight horses. It is also stated that almost any work on the farm can be done with the tractor except cultivating and it is not possible for the broad wheels to move between the rows of growing corn. The owners of the tractors are using them for plowing and find that the can hook two plows to one engine and move steadily over the ground. It costs from twenty to thirty cents to plow an acre with a tractor, it is claimed.

Most of the tractors use petroleum for fuel and from fifteen to sixteen

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MULES RAN AWAY

Hit Telephone Pole and Mail Box is Demolished.

A span of mules belonging to Anderson Stadley and hitched to an ash wagon in the employ of the city took fright at a passing train this morning and ran away. Walter Stadley and Lawrence Lewis were in the wagon and were unable to hold the mules. The team crashed into a telephone pole at the corner of Indianapolis Avenue and Second street and the mail box was demolished.

Republican Want Ads. Get Results.

ROBERT KEACH AWARDED SECOND PLACE IN CONTEST

Aurora Representative Wins First in District H. S. Oratorical Contest.

At the district high school oratorical and declamation contest held Friday evening at the Jennings theatre at North Vernon Robert Keach of this city was given second place in the reading contest, with a subject "George Says Boys Don't Have Such a Snap After All." The North Vernon high school received first honors being represented by Miss Lucile Platter presenting the reading "Kelley's dream." In oratory the first honors were given to Stanley Pastner of the Aurora high school having as his subject "National Defense" while North Vernon was given second place being represented by Merritt Read, speaking on "The Conquest of Alcohol."

The high schools represented at the contest included Seymour, North Vernon, Madison, Franklin, Aurora and Lawrenceburg. The judges were Supt. J. F. Hoing of Osgood, county superintendent Samuel Sharp of Columbus, and Emmett Taylor, principal of the Jeffersonville high school.

Seymour was represented in oratory by Fae Patriek, a member of the senior class who gave an interesting talk on "Prophets of War." The local high school was well represented in both oratory and declamation and a number of students and patrons of the Seymour schools attended the contest.

HAYDEN PREPARED FOR BIG PATRIOTIC DEMONSTRATION

Forty-eight Boys and Girls will Take Part in Flag Drill—M. W. Richards to Speak.

Hayden is preparing for a big patriotic demonstration tonight and it is expected that a big crowd will attend. An invitation is given to local people to witness the ceremony. M. W. Richards, of the Purdue extension department, will give an address. Thirteen girls and thirty-five boys will give a drill in which the American flag will be formed. "Columbia" will be represented and other features have been arranged. Harry C. Meloy, William Fitzgerald and Acting County Agent P. S. Lowe of North Vernon, will give patriotic addresses. A local organization will be effected to take part in the campaign to increase food production.

TWO GERMAN DESTROYERS SUNK OFF DOVER COAST

Five Raiding Ships Attacked by Two British Patrol Ships—Prisoners Taken.

London, April 21.—Two German destroyers were sunk and one other was probably destroyed when the enemy vessels attempted a raid on Dover, the admiralty announced today. The raid was attempted last night, five German vessels participating. They were attacked by two British patrol ships. The fight lasted only five minutes. The British ships suffered no material damage and the casualties were slight. Ten German officers and ninety-five men were rescued and made prisoners.

GERMAN MUNITION WORKERS STRIKE

20,000 Reported to Have Quit Factories Because of Reduction in Bread Rations.

APPEAL BY VON HINDENBURG

Declares that "Every Strike is an Inexcusable Crime Against Men in the Trenches."

Amsterdam, April 21.—Twenty thousand munition workers in Berlin and Spandau are out on a general strike today in protest against the reduction in bread rations, according to the latest information received here from Germany. Reports were received of great violence accompanying the strikes in several cities.

Promise to increase the meat and potato rations have not offset cutting off of the bread supplies, it is reported. Workers are evidently asking for higher wages and shorter working hours as well as a new system of distributing food supplies.

That German leaders recognize the seriousness of the strike is evidenced in an appeal Von Hindenburg is said to have made to the chiefs of the munitions branches declaring that "every strike is an inexcusable crime against the men in the trenches."

ROOSEVELT RENEWS DEMAND TO COMPULSORY SERVICE

Declares Military Duty Should be Obligatory in Speaking of His French Expeditionary Force.

By United Press.

New York, April 21.—Col. Roosevelt struck back today at those who have been using his plan for raising to send a division of troops to France, as an argument against compulsory military service. He renewed his demand for compulsory obligatory service in declaring that a volunteer force should be sent abroad.

"I wish we already had universal military training in this country," he said. "We should follow England's example, however, by sending an expeditionary force and instantly introduce the system of obligatory service also."

ARGENTINA NEAR BREAK

Demands Settlement for Sinking of One of Her Ships.

By United Press.

Buenos Aires, April 21.—Argentina has made a formal demand upon Germany for the sinking of the Argentine steamer by a German submarine. Announcing this today, Argentina's leading newspaper declares it understands that if the German reply is not satisfactory Argentina will not only break relations with Germany, but will declare war.

EFFORT TO DELAY STAFF ARMY BILL

Opponents to Conscription Bill Start Filibuster Tactics to Block Vote on Measure.

SPY BILL IS SIDE-TRACKED

First Provision of Draft Bill Provides for Raising of 630,000 Men by Volunteering.

By United Press.
Washington, April 21.—Opponents of the conscription army bill this afternoon started filibuster tactics to delay the measure in the senate. Senator Thomas demanded the regular order and consideration of the spy bill at the expiration of morning business.

Prediction of serious riots if conscription goes into effect were made by a score of anti-conscriptionists before the military affairs committee at a hearing this morning. Joseph Cannon, labor leader and organizer, said:

"There will be strikes, prices will raise and blood will flow in the streets."

The house military committee today voted twelve to eight to report out the general staff army bill with an amendment authorizing the President to call for volunteers if he wishes to before the draft is made effective.

At the urgent request of President Wilson, the spy bill was side-tracked to clear the way for the army bill. The bill provides for getting the 600,000 men needed to raise the regular army and national guard to full war strength and for getting an army of 1,000,000 men by selective draft.

Senator Chamberlain, chairman of the military affairs committee, explained that the first provision would authorize both the regular army and national guard raised to war strength, a total of 20,000 officers and 614,000 enlisted men.

"This is the largest volunteer force ever called for in the United States," said Chamberlain.

"At the same time 500,000 between the ages of nineteen and twenty-five would be immediately selected and put into training. Another 500,000 would be selected later. The draft would make available about 6,000,000 men. Of this vast army about 3,500,000 would be fit physically.

"Only about one-half of that number would be taken and for that reason we are resorting to selective draft," said Chamberlain.

BRITISH FORCES ADVANCE MILE CLOSER TO CAMBRAI

French Also Gain More Ground North of Rheims, Paris Official Statement Says.

By United Press.

London, April 21.—Field Marshal Haig today advanced more than a mile towards Cambrai, a stronghold in the Hindenburg line. German counter attacks were repulsed in sharp fighting.

The French gained more ground north of Rheims, the official war statement from Paris said. Attacks by Germans were repulsed with heavy losses inflicted on the enemy force, it was announced.

REVOLUTION REPORTED IMMINENT IN HUNGARY

Budapest and Twenty-Five Other Cities and Towns Declared in a State of Siege.

By United Press.

Rome, April 21.—A revolution is imminent in Hungary, according to dispatches received here today. As a result of various disturbances, information asserted, Budapest and twenty-five other cities and towns have been proclaimed in a state of siege.

Belgian Relief Ship Sunk.

By United Press.

Yumiden, Holland, April 21.—The Belgian relief ship Congeli carrying a cargo of 8,000 tons of wheat, was sunk in the "safety zone" announced by Germany, by a mine or submarine yesterday with the possible loss of one life.

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Recruiting Office Regular Army
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Spring Colds Are the Worst

They lead to catarrh and pneumonia. They weaken the entire system and leave it unable to resist the sudden changes. They interfere with your digestion and lessen your activity. Neglected they soon become that dread disease known as systemic catarrh. Don't neglect them. It's costly as well as dangerous.

PERUNA Will Safeguard You

Have a box of Peruna Tablets with you for the sudden cold or exposure. Tone your system up with a regular course of the liquid Peruna, fortify it against colds, get your digestion up to normal, take care of yourself, and avoid danger. If you are suffering now begin the treatment at once. Give Nature the help she needs to throw off the catarrhal inflammation, and again become well.

Peruna has been helping people for 44 years. Thousands of homes rely on it for coughs, cold and indigestion. It's a good tonic for the weak, as well.

The Peruna Company, Columbus, Ohio

THE HOME GARDEN

WHAT TO DO IN APRIL

The Republican presents to its readers hints for the gardener for April that have been prepared by the experts of the National Emergency Food Garden Commission, of Washington, D. C. This organization, which is affiliated with the Conservation Department of the American Forestry Association, will give the readers of The Republican expert advice on garden work.

Transplant late in April tomato, pepper and eggplant from plant frame or cold frame to garden.

Bed sweet potato in plant frame.

Sow celery seeds in plant frame.

Transplant annual flower plants into flower borders.

Transplant dahlia and snap-dragon plants into flower borders.

Plant summer flowering bulbs.

Plant beans, Swiss chard, kohlrabi, carrots, parsnips, salsify, corn, cucumbers, melons, squash, and okra.

Sow seeds of alyssum, cosmos, mignonne, and nasturtium in flower borders.

Keep soil between rows mellow.

Spray for insect enemies.

Plan for disposing of various crops.

Carrots

The advantage of deep spading and thorough advance preparation of the soil becomes apparent in the carrot bed, says today's garden lesson supplied by the National Emergency Food Garden Commission, of Washington, which is co-operating with this newspaper to urge the planting of gardens to safeguard against a food shortage this year in Seymour.

The carrot root, which is the part eaten, tries to grow straight down into the soil. If it meets a stiff, packed subsoil a few inches down it cannot penetrate it, and the root will either split or become otherwise misshapen and gnarled. Soil that has been worked, however, enables the carrot to grow shapedly.

The carrot is an early crop and easily grown after it gets started. But the carrot seeds are small and the young plants are weak. So the seeds should not be planted deeply, a half inch being enough. It is necessary to keep a dirt crust from forming over the seeds after they are planted, so it becomes desirable to mix a few radish seeds in with the carrot seed. The radishes grow quickly and not only mark the rows so that you can go over them with a garden rake and break up any crust, but also aid in breaking the crust and letting the tender carrot shoots come through.

One ounce of carrot seed is enough to sow 100 feet of row. They should be sown rather thickly together, and after the plants come up thinning by pulling out plants is not necessary unless they are crowding each other. Small carrots have better flavor than large ones, so that they can grow 6 or 7 to the foot in the row without injury. Make the rows 1 foot apart.

The carrot is a slow grower, maturing in 8 or 10 weeks after planting. A continuous supply of them can be guaranteed by making new plantings every 3 weeks or late as August 15, although in hot, dry weather they must be watered.

Carrots may be pulled while still small, begin when they are about half an inch in diameter at the top of the root.

Notice.

Bids are solicited until April 26, 1917, for the privilege of conducting a stand in the city park during season 1917.

Also—Bids on privilege of selling peanuts and popcorn in the city park during season 1917.

Successful bidders will be required to enter into a contract with the city. Instructions to bidders are on file with city clerk. a18, 21d

Calling Cards.

One hundred calling cards, single line, for 50c. Republican Office.

Happenings in Society

Coming Events

Tuesday.

Loyal Devoir Society of the Christian Church with Miss Elsie Reynolds, 519 West Second St.

A. A. D. Sewing Club with Lula Holtman, South Walnut St.

Wednesday.

Mutual Improvement Club of Brownstown with Mrs. Henry Kattman.

Brownstown Wednesday Club with Mrs. R. M. Robertson.

Wednesday Afternoon Bridge Club with Mrs. Fred Able, corner Sixth and Ewing streets.

Thursday.

Rebekah Lodge at the I. O. O. F. Hall.

Ladies' Society of the Catholic Church at the K. of C. Hall.

Ladies' Society of the Lutheran Church at the Club House.

Stitch and Chatter Club with Mrs. J. T. Jones, 512 North Chestnut street.

Wide Awake Club of Brownstown with Miss Lillian Robertson.

Friday.

Ladies' Aid Society of the Christian Church with Mrs. W. C. Lawless, Indianapolis Ave.

Amitie Club with Mrs. Ernest Walser, West Fifth street.

Nimrod Sewing Club with Miss Clara Wienhorst, South Chestnut street.

Sewing Society of the First Baptist Church at the church.

Ladies' Aid Society of the First Methodist Church in the Sunday School room.

Boy Scouts meet at the Shields High School.

Friday Magazine Club with Mrs. Seba A. Barnes, 505 North Walnut street.

Saturday.

Junior Kaffee Klatch with Miss Josephine Fettig, 111 West Sixth street.

OFFICERS ELECTED.

The Presbyterian Missionary Society of the New Albany Presbytery, which held its annual meeting at Mitchell, elected officers for the ensuing year and selected Seymour as the place of meeting next year. Officers elected are as follows:

President, Mrs. C. H. Emery, of Bedford; vice-presidents, Mrs. H. E. Barth, of North Vernon, and Mrs. George F. Martin, of Corydon; recording secretary, Mrs. C. A. Schan, of New Albany; secretary Home and Freedmen, Mrs. J. W. Lewis, of Salem; secretary foreign missions, Mrs. Frank Braxton, of Paoli; secretary literature, Mrs. J. H. Carter, of Seymour; secretary young people's department, Mrs. H. H. Prince, of Brownstown; secretary mission study, Mrs. J. S. Finley, of Brownstown; secretary extension work, Miss Katherine B. Jackson, of Seymour; treasurer Home and Freedmen, Miss Lelia Garritt, of Hanover; treasurer foreign missions, Mrs. Herbert Fawcett, of New Albany, and treasurer of Westminster Guild, Miss Julia Armstrong, of New Albany.—Louisville Courier Journal.

WONNING-SCHROER

Omer Wonning and Miss Mollie Schroer were quietly married Thursday afternoon by Rev. G. Baumgart, pastor of the German Lutheran church of White Creek, the attending couple being the bride's sister, Miss Alma Schroer and the groom's brother, Harold Wonning. The bride was attired in white crepe de chine trimmed with silver lace and carried a shower bouquet of brides' roses. After the ceremony a bountiful supper was served to the immediate relatives. The dining room

was beautifully decorated, a color scheme of pink and white being used.

The bride is a popular young lady and is the daughter of Mrs. John Schroer, of White Creek and the groom is a prosperous young farmer the son of Mr. and Mrs. August Wonning, of Hamilton township. Both are well known in this city.—Contributed.

INFORMAL PARTY

Mrs. T. H. Miles was hostess to a company of friends at a delightful party this afternoon at her home on West Fourth street. For the occasion the house was artistically decorated with masses of spring flowers and ferns arranged in baskets and vases. The diversion was informal, with sewing and at the close of the afternoon an attractive two course luncheon was served. Among the guests were Mrs. R. J. Sanders, Mrs. John Buhner, Mrs. Clem Roegge, Mrs. E. C. McMullen, Mrs. Carl Oesting and Mrs. Herman Stratton.

GUESTS OF PI PHI

Miss Hattie Roeger accompanied by her guest Miss Dale Coyne, of Princeton, went to Franklin Friday afternoon to visit the Pi Beta Phi sorority of Franklin college, and were joined at Columbus by Miss Leota Denny, of Madison, all members of the Franklin chapter of Pi Phi. This morning they went to Indianapolis to attend the annual meeting of the Pi Phi chapters in the state held today at the Claypool hotel.

INTER SE CLUB.

Miss Mary Louise Honan was hostess to the members of the Inter Se Club this afternoon at her home on East Third street. Round table reading and sewing provided the interesting diversion and at the close of the afternoon a luncheon was served.

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BALTIMORE & OHIO SYSTEM PREPARES FOR EMERGENCY

Operating Officials Hold Meeting in Baltimore to Meet War Demands.

Baltimore, April 21.—Operating officials of the Baltimore and Ohio railroad, called together here in special session by J. M. Davis, vice-

president of operation and maintenance, concluded a three-days' meeting. Assembled at the road's headquarters were the chiefs of all the branches of the operating department, including general managers, general superintendents, superintendents, superintendents, heads of the transportation and motive power departments and their staffs, from every division point and district of

the entire system.

The meeting was convoked to perfect arrangements for the movement of government supplies and troops and to subordinate every phase of operation to any possible demands that the government may make.

Although the Baltimore and Ohio has been working in close co-operation with the Government through President Daniel Willard, as head

A NECESSITY

Mrs. Collier Says Could Not Keep House Without Black-Draught.

Hardin, Mo.—Mrs. J. W. Collier, of this town, who knows from experience of the merit of Black-Draught Liver Medicine, has following to say for publication: "I want to let everybody know that I have used Thedford's Black-Draught for many years, and it is just what is claimed for it. I am never without Black-Draught, and really I couldn't keep house without it. Whenever I feel bad, I take a small dose, and feel better right away.

I advise everybody who suffers from liver or stomach trouble to use Black-Draught Liver Medicine."

For three-quarters of a century (75 years), Thedford's Black-Draught has been regulating irregularities of the liver, stomach and bowels, and has long been recognized as the standard remedy. It is a fixture in thousands of homes as the main stay of the family medicine chest.

If you have not tried it, get a package from your nearest dealer, today. He sells it in 25c and \$1.00 packages, making it cost you only one cent a dose. NCB3

on Monday, Tuesday and Wednesday, April 23, 24 and 25, for the purpose for receiving taxes. Announcement will be made later just where the taxes may be paid.

John E. Belding, county treasurer. a21d

of the Advisory Board of the Council of National Defense, Mr. Davis deemed it wise to call a meeting of all operating officials in order to see that nothing is left undone to provide quick communication and the most efficient service during war time.

Various plans and arrangements have already been made in connection with rendering the Government any service required in the movement of troops and supplies and in the protection of bridges, tunnels and the right of way, but in order to augment the safeguards provided and to increase, if possible, the safety of travel and traffic, it was felt that this could best be worked out in a complete gathering of all operating officials.

Provision will be made to afford the greatest protection to all shipments of Government supplies and to facilitate the movement of troop trains with the greatest dispatch. Every precaution will be taken to frustrate the carrying out of any designs inimical to the safety of the road's property, equipment and traffic, and preparations were made to meet any emergency.

As a forerunner of this policy the railroad announced several weeks ago that during the war times any shipment of Government supplies—ammunition, equipment, accoutrements, etc., would have preference over any other class of freight.

Notice to Taxpayers.

I will have the tax duplicates of Jackson township, Redding township and the city of Seymour in Seymour

NOTICE TO THE PUBLIC.

\$100.00 REWARD.

We will pay \$100.00 for a name for our new Tonic Tablet. Offer open to all excepting employees of this Company. Send as many suggestions as you wish. There are no conditions, no restrictions excepting that every one must agree to abide by the decision of the Judges as final.

Contest closes May 1st, 1917. Get busy—suggest the right name and get the \$100.00.

Mail all suggestions to Name Contest Board, Care of The Sentanel Remedies Co. Cincinnati, O.

House Cleaning Time Is At Hand

You will find pieces of furniture, stoves, rugs, or other articles about the house that you are replacing with new goods. These articles are too good to throw away or to sell for junk. They have a real value for somebody in Seymour. The surest way to find that "somebody" is through the classified columns of the Republican. Every week, in fact almost every day, and sometimes several times a day, these little advs. are bringing buyer and seller together.

These classified advs. work in numberless lines. Within the last few days these little business finders have sold rugs, kitchen ranges, stoves, beds, found renters for rooms, found rooms and board for others, found owners of lost articles as well as the lost articles for owners, found applicants for clerkship, and a score of other helpful things.

Try the classified column. One cent a word for one time; two cents a word for three times; three cents a word for six times; ten cents a word for a month. No adv. counted less than the minimum of ten words.

SEYMOUR DAILY REPUBLICAN

Phone 42 108 W. Second St.

COMING BACK

UNITED DOCTORS SPECIALIST
WILL AGAIN BE AT
SEYMOUR, INDIANA.

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FRIDAY, APRIL 27, 1917.
ONE DAY ONLY

Hours 9:00 a. m. to 6:00 p. m.
Remarkable Success of Talented Physi-
cian in the Treatment of
Chronic Diseases

Offer Services Free of Charge

The United Doctors Specialist, licensed by the State of Indiana for the treatment of all diseases, including deformities, nervous and chronic diseases of men, women and children, offer to all who call on this trip, consultation, examination, advice free, making no charge whatever, except the actual cost of treatment. All that is asked in return for these valuable services is that every person treated will state the result obtained to their friends and thus prove to the sick and afflicted in every city and locality, that at last treatments have been discovered that are reasonably sure and certain in their effect.

The United Doctors are experts in the treatment of chronic diseases and so great and wonderful have been their results that in many cases it is hard to find the dividing line between skill and miracle.

Diseases of the stomach, intestines, liver, blood, skin, nerves, heart, spleen, rheumatism, sciatica, tapeworm, leg ulcers, weak lungs and those afflicted with long-standing, deep-seated chronic diseases, that have baffled the skill of the family physician, should not fail to call. Deafness often has been cured in sixty days.

According to their system no more operation for appendicitis, gall stones, tumors, goiter, piles, etc., as all cases accepted will be treated without operation or hypodermic injection, as they were among the first in America to earn the name of "Bloodless Surgeons," by doing away with the knife with blood and with all pain in the successful treatment of these dangerous diseases.

No matter what your ailment may be, no matter what others may have told you, no matter what experience you may have had with other physicians, it will be to your advantage to see them at once. Have it forever settled in your mind. If your case is incurable they will give you such advice as may relieve and stay the disease. Do not put off this duty you owe yourself or friends or relatives who are suffering because of your sickness, as a visit at this time may help you.

Worn-out and run-down men or women, no matter what your ailment may be, call, it costs you nothing.

Remember, this free offer is for this visit only.

Married ladies come with their husbands and minors with their parents.
Laboratories, Milwaukee, Wisconsin.

One Killed in Explosion.

By United Press.

Pittsburg, April 21.—One man was killed and three others were injured when a large supply of dynamite exploded at the Superior Fuel Company's plant today. Police are investigating the report that the man who was killed was making a bomb.

How's This?

We offer One Hundred Dollars Reward for any case of Catarrh that cannot be cured by Hall's Catarrh Medicine. Hall's Catarrh Medicine has been taken by catarrh sufferers for the past thirty-five years, and has become known as the most reliable remedy for Catarrh. Hall's Catarrh Medicine acts thru the Blood on the Mucous surfaces, expelling the Poison from the Blood and healing the diseased portions. After you have taken Hall's Catarrh Medicine for a short time you will see a great improvement in your general health. Start taking Hall's Catarrh Medicine at once and get rid of catarrh. Send for testimonials, free.
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Dresses and Blouses
Made to Order
MISS WATSON
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Periscopic Paragraphs.

"The Set of the Sails"

One ship drives east, and another west
With the self-same winds that blow:
'Tis the set of the sails
And not the gales,
Which decides the way to go.

Like the winds of the sea are the ways of fate,
As we voyage along through life;
'Tis the will of the soul
That decides its goal,
And not the calm or the strife.

Soup.

(By George Martin, for U. P.)
Soup is one of the less effective foods. It is very filling. But it does not take hold like corned beef and cabbage.

Like our music, our drama, our opinions and our incompetents, soup is canned. They have built great palaces of delusion for it. There they coax it into the mixing vats, decoy it to gigantic caldrons and get it all stirred up with the idea that it's going to be eaten. Then they blight its hopes by pouring it into dark, gloomy cans and it sits on a shelf days, weeks, months, maybe years, till somebody calls for it.

No wonder soup gets despondent. We bought some the other day that was—horrible.

Leave it to Bob.

If the war censorship was not in force we probably hear that Bob Owens, of Bedford, had started for Washington with his bloodhounds to ascertain who broke into the Senate military committee room in the capitol building.—Columbus Republican.

"The entire audience joined in singing The Star Spangled Banner, even the King's lips were seen to be moving," says the report of the big American Day service at London yesterday. So it would seem that George didn't succeed in fooling the newspaper boys into believing he was really singing.

Italy has limited the size of all letters to one sheet of paper, which in many instances will just about give room for the name of the town and the signature.

The stir in South America will at least serve to make us acquainted with the names of their presidents down there.

A fair young creature, who was possessed of an ardent desire to do something for her country had decided that she could at least put in a little garden in the back yard. Accordingly she went forth in quest of seed.

"Do you have asparagus tip seed?" she asked sweetly, as she paused at the seed department of a local store.

"Er—ah—you mean asparagus?" faltered the clerk.

"No, no, we never use anything but the tip variety."

"I'm afraid we can't supply you with any tip seed today, we are just out. Perhaps you could get them across the street," was the reply of the cruel dispenser of seed.

Marshall Field, Jr. has joined the army as a private at a salary of \$15 per month. And if he is as frugal and careful as his grandfather he will be sending about \$12.50 of it home to his folks every month.

The British, when they get started, believe in hitting the high spots, as witness Vimy Ridge.

Outside of the fact that he considers the censorship feature of the espionage bill "nebulous, drastic and omnipotent," Senator Borah has no fault to find with it.

Of course, says the Dallas News, the nostril width mustaches are very



Pedigreed!



Big Four \$850

Light Six \$985

Prices Effective April 1st, 1917

Light Fours
Touring . . . \$600
Roadster . . . \$650
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Big Fours
Touring . . . \$850
Roadster . . . \$900
Coupe . . . \$1250
Sedan . . . \$1450

Light Sixes
Touring . . . \$985
Roadster . . . \$1050
Coupe . . . \$1385
Sedan . . . \$1585

Willys-Six
Touring . . . \$1425

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Four Coupe . . . \$1050
Four Sedan . . . \$1050
Four Limousine \$1050
Eight Touring . . . \$1950

Advance in price, Big Four and Light Six models, May 1st—deferred until that date account too late to correct advertisements appearing in magazines circulating throughout the month of April.

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Each year a better car and a better value!

Over three hundred thousand now in use!

That is the history of the car that built Overland because it represented integrity of value.

And as steadfastly as this car has represented original integrity of value, so also has The Willys-Overland Company sustained that integrity of value throughout its service in the hands of those who purchased it.

The Overland Big Four of this season and its twin—except for the motor—the Overland Light Six, are the direct outcome of all this development.

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Manufacturers of Willys-Knight and Overland Automobiles and Light Commercial Cars

cute, but they look like they ought to be kept under glass in cold weather.

Just as we were getting accustomed to calling it Petrograd, they are going to change it back to St. Petersburg again.

Personally, we feel that the meaning of patriotism will have to be stretched considerably to make it include planting parsnips.

This is to officially announce that Spring has come. The first straw hat of the season just flashed past our window.

FEDERAL AGENTS ENLARGE SCOPE OF THEIR ACTIVITIES

More Than 3,000 German Residents Now Under Surveillance by U. S. Agents.

By United Press.

Washington, April 21.—Approximately 3,000 German residents of the United States are under close surveillance, Department of Justice officials announced today, because of their activities in behalf of the German government before America's entry into the war or because of their pro-German sympathies.

The department's field force of investigators, now grown to formidable proportions, is keeping so close a watch upon the small army of suspects that it would be possible, it is authoritatively stated, to arrest virtually every man under suspicion within twenty-four hours. The suspects are located in every state of the Union.

To meet the demands of the unceasing watch upon these individuals, the department's bureau of investigation has been greatly enlarged since the beginning of hostilities with Germany, and recruits are added daily to the staff. Most of the suspects had been under surveillance prior to the entrance of this country into the war, but hundreds of names have been added to the list.

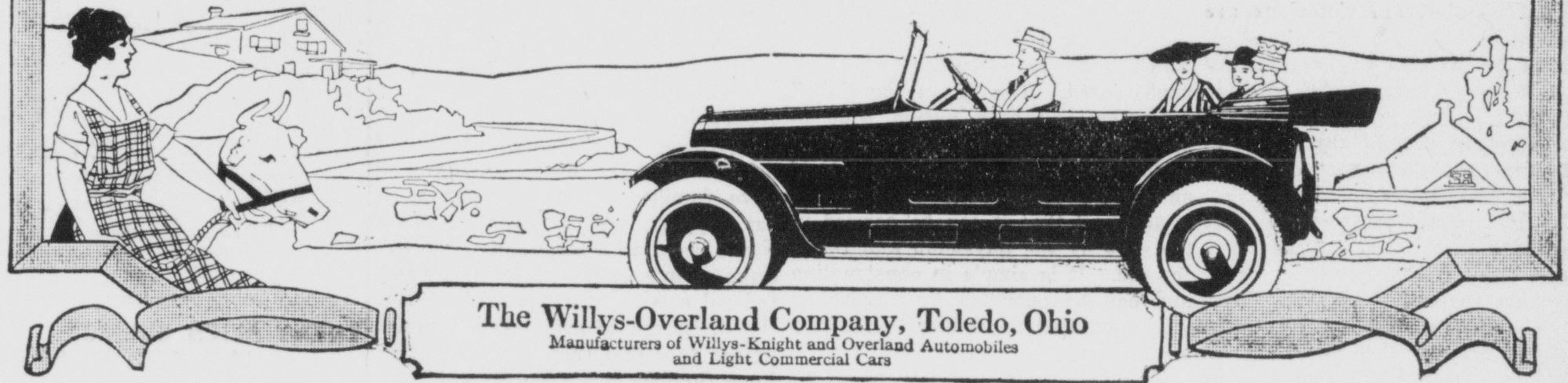
In addition to the 500,000 civilian employees on the government's pay roll in all departments, actively engaged in reporting information to the bureau, all sheriffs and their deputies throughout the country, Attorney General Gregory said, are co-operating with the department to the extent of reporting information which may aid in detecting and apprehending persons working in this country against the interest of the United States.

Patriotic organizations and many other civilian societies also have offered their aid. Letters from auxiliary sources to the bureau are being received at the rate of approximately 1,000 a day.

Investigation of the recent explosion at the Eddystone munitions plant, near Philadelphia, which resulted in the death of more than 100 persons, and of the recent fire at Minneapolis which resulted in the loss of hundreds of thousands of bushels of grain, is proceeding but has not reached a stage, it is said, where announcement as to findings can be made.

Thus far, it was said, the strict surveillance maintained over persons known to be of pro-German sympathy, has revealed a tendency to observe the law more general than the department had anticipated. The reputed belief of German officials that a great army of reservists here was ready to spring to arms in case of conflict between the United States and their native land has been found to rest upon no foundation whatever.

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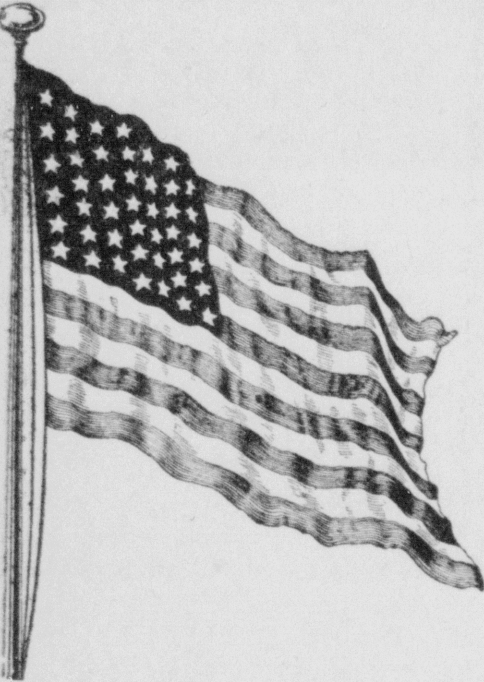
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SATURDAY, APRIL 21, 1917.



REPUBLICAN CITY TICKET.
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Clerk—Harry Findley.
Treasurer—S. H. Amick.
Councilmen-at-Large—C. R. Emery and Harry F. McColgin.
Ward Councilmen.
First—John A. Goodale.
Second—Avis Hoadley.
Third—Windom Goss.
Fourth—Eugene Ireland.
Fifth—Henry Roegge.

WAR PROHIBITION.

Modern warfare is the supreme test of human efficiency. The heavy demands upon the people make it imperative that every endeavor must be productive of the greatest results. The nations that are victorious are those which have the most perfect systems of division of labor. All forces must co-operate and work in harmony for the single purpose. Lost effort upon the part of any considerable number of workers might destroy the co-operative plan.

The European countries at war were quick to realize that efficiency counts. The United States—now at war—also realizes that every blow must count. The efficiency movement cannot be accomplished in its highest degree in a week or a month. It must be developed and it is that great work upon which the United States has centered its attention. One suggestion results in another, all of which work hand in glove for the defense and the life of the nation and its people.

One of the great problems faced by any nation at war is that of providing adequate food supplies for its army and its workers. This question received the earliest attention from our government and out of it has developed the recommendation that the government curtail or even abolish the manufacture and sale of liquors. In the efficiency movement the food supplies must not only be increased, but must be conserved. The council of national defense recommends that the grain which has been used in the manufacture of liquors be diverted into other channels to help meet the threatened shortage. The recommendation, therefore, not only has as its aim the conservation of food supplies but also the conservation of human strength.

It is estimated that the breweries of the country used 67,000,000 bushels of grain last year. This is approximately one percent. of all the grain produced by the nation. Figures show that the breweries last year used about 47,000,000 bushels of barley, 17,000,000 bushels of corn and 2,000,000 bushels of rice. The council of national defense believes that this enormous amount of grain should be used for food. The President has two alternatives in meeting the recommendation. He may issue an executive proclamation or may ask for emergency legislation to prohibit or restrict the manufacture and sale of liquors. Which ever course he follows the aim will be to increase the efficiency of the nation and safeguard the human strength which will be needed to protect the nation from its foes.

In our enthusiasm over our backlot garden we should remember that the planting and showing is just the beginning of the work and that they will need a little attention and encouragement during the summer.

A mathematical shark has figured out that if the government's seven billion war fund were placed in the hands of one man and he spent \$1 a minute it would take him 13,318

years to spend all of it. There is no use worrying about that, however, for if any of us had seven billions or thereabout we would likely be able to get rid of it faster than \$1 per minute.

In explaining the retreat before the French forces, a German newspaper declares that on account of the superiority of the French guns and munitions the only thing for the Germans to do is to retreat for strategic purposes. And it doesn't make much difference what they call it so they keep headed towards Berlin.

A Berlin editorial writer says that Germany wishes "no business peace, no renunciatory peace, but a victory full and complete." But the point is we don't always get what we wish.

It is proposed to send Elihu Root to Russia to assist the new government in getting firmly established. There are many advantages in giving a new democracy a firm root.

Jackson county may not be big enough for a superior court, but there isn't another county in the state that can boast of two county clerks.

NEW LUNG MOTOR FOR CITY TO ARRIVE SOON

Maxon Pharmacy Notified That Life Saving Device For Infants, Has Been Shipped.

Word was received today by Maxon Pharmacy that the Infant Lungmotor which he purchased recently has started on its journey to Seymour.

It will arrive here in a few days and will be installed in Maxon Pharmacy immediately. Immediately after its arrival it will be placed on display and Mr. Maxon is arranging for a demonstration of its use under the direction of some of the local physicians. All physicians, nurses, members of City Council have been invited to be present and inspect it.

Local physicians have long felt the need of a device of this nature which will save babies who are asphyxiated. The "Save the Baby" campaign has been nation wide in scope and Seymour takes the place in the front rank by the addition of an Infant Lungmotor. The device is so small that it can be carried in the case by the physician and ready for use. It is simple in construction and can be operated by anyone as it is regulated according to the size of the baby.

The device also takes care of all mucus, etc., that may gather in the mouth and trachea of the infant and actually breathes for the child until the lungs are able to functionate.

The Maxon Pharmacy purchased an Infant Lungmotor for the use of the physicians in the community and they are free to call for it at anytime.

ALL MARRIED GUARDSMEN WILL NOT BE DISCHARGED

Those Who Have Dependent Means Will Not be Affected by Recent Order.

Washington, April 21—Discharges from the national guard will not be granted enlisted men solely because they are married, according to instructions sent out to adjutant-gen-

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erals by the militia bureau. Where a soldier has independent means, which will prevent his family from becoming a charge on the government, he will not be mustered out.

The war department has been flooded since the original order was issued, with inquiries and protests from both officers and men of the national guard, many of whom have been discharged against their wishes because they were married men. A supplementary statement of policy was necessary, as in many cases national guard regiments are being reduced to mere skeleton organizations by the rigid application of the dependent family rule.

The war department is resolved, however, to relieve the government of the necessity of taking care of the families of men who join the colors. More than \$4,000,000 was disbursed in this way as a result of the Mexican border mobilization.

The bureau's letter follows:

"With reference to a circular letter from this bureau, dated April 9, 1917, authorizing the discharge of all enlisted men of the national guard who have families dependent upon them for support, the members of which would become a charge upon the government in case they were called into federal service, you are advised that the discharge of men solely because of the fact that they are married or have families is not authorized.

"When a man's means are ample for the support of his family in his absence, or where his business can be so conducted in his absence as to afford a means of support for his family, discharge should not be granted.

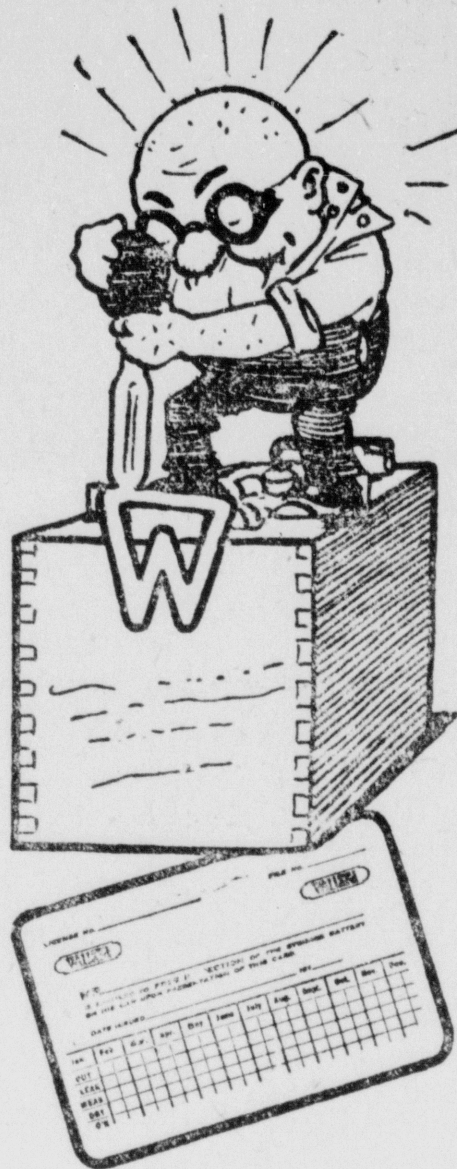
"The object of discharging men, as provided in the circular letter of April 9, above referred to, is to avoid working a hardship on dependent members of their families and to obviate the necessity of the payment of benefits to such members while the soldier is in federal service."

Special Notice.

The Packard Piano Store, opposite Interurban Station, Phone 693, requests those wishing pianos tuned this Spring to leave orders now.

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The satisfactory performance of your battery depends upon it being kept fully charged.

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ENEMY ALIEN RULING IS EFFECTIVE APRIL 24

U. S. Marshal Storen in Indianapolis Receives Instructions Regarding Enforcement.

Mark Storen, United States marshal for Indiana, and L. Ert Slack, district attorney have received directions from Thomas W. Gregory, attorney-general of United States, for enforcement of President Wilson's war proclamation regarding alien enemies. Any alien enemy found with forbidden articles, including firearms, explosive, wireless apparatus, code, signaling device or documents, in which there may be invisible writing, in his possession

after April 24 "shall be arrested at once and detained, and the articles seized."

Alien enemies living within one-half mile of a fort, camp or workshop for the manufacture of munitions of war, or any products for the use of the army or navy, "shall be required to move before June 1". Summary arrest is ordered for failure to move from the restricted district. The German flag must not be displayed and the flag of the United States must not be insulted or mutilated.

The orders, however, provide the marshal may restrain from arrest for failure to surrender forbidden articles if satisfied the enemy is not a danger to the public peace, and

he may also permit one to live in the restricted district if satisfied the residence is not dangerous to the community or the republic. Paroles may be granted after arrests, but paroled persons may have to give bond and provide an American supervisor.

Small Blaze.

The fire department was called to the home of Fred Meyer on Indianapolis Avenue this morning about 8 o'clock. The shingle roof had caught fire from a flue but the fire was soon extinguished before much damage had been done.

Thousands of Eyes See "Republican Want Ads."





"LOYALTY"

"With malice toward none, with charity for all, with firmness in the right, as God gives us to see the right."—Lincoln.

A State of War has been thrust upon us. A united Nation in this solemn hour calmly faces the future with that confidence born of complete faith in American Ideals.

The Jackson County Loan and Trust Company stands united with every member of this community and Country to cooperate in every way possible in resisting any attempt to abrogate American Freedom, Justice and Honor.

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CALL your business methods up before the bar of your judgment and ask them if they are all that they should be. If they plead guilty to carelessness, open an account for them today.

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SEYMOUR, INDIANA

PERSONAL

Mrs. Ira Pomeroy went to Indianapolis today.

Albert Hinton went to Indianapolis this morning.

Noble Cranford, of North Vernon, was here today.

Robert Shortridge of Wabash, was in this city yesterday.

Miss Bess Belding of Brownstown, was in this city yesterday.

Joseph Parker of Azalia, was in this city today on business.

Morton Downs of Jennings county, was here today on business.

Francis Bunton made a business trip to Cincinnati this morning.

Miss O. A. Luedtke of Sparksville, is visiting friends in this city.

Francis Bunton made a business trip to Cincinnati this morning.

Miss Irene St. Quentin of Indianapolis, spent the day in this city.

Miss Veva Paul went to Crothersville this morning to spend the day.

Daniel Walker, of near Cortland, was in this city today on business.

Mrs. F. H. Hadley of Richmond, is the guest of Mrs. J. H. Anderson.

Mrs. Oliver Glasson went to Indianapolis today for a few days' visit.

H. H. Carter attended the Shriners' ceremonial at Indianapolis today.

Lawrence Cochran went to Brownstown this morning to spend the day.

Miss Margaret Remy is the guest of Miss Jeanette Black at North Vernon.

Mrs. Harry Miller went to Terre Haute this morning to spend the week end.

T. H. Montgomery went to Indianapolis this morning to spend the day.

Miss Lucile Beldon of Brownstown, was here this morning shopping.

Wm. H. Cordry of Freetown, was in Seymour transacting business today.

Lawrence Olinger from near Hayden, was in this city today on business.

Orville Hopkins, of Jennings county, was in this city today on business.

Meedy Blish and Felix Cadou went to Indianapolis this morning to spend the day.

Mr. and Mrs. H. M. Miller went to Indianapolis this morning to spend the day.

J. M. Hamer went to Indianapolis this morning to attend the Shriners' ceremonial.

Mr. and Mrs. A. Donovan of Brownstown, were in this city today on business.

Miss Kate Andrews went to Indianapolis yesterday evening to spend the week end.

George Clark went to Indianapolis this morning to attend the ceremonial of the Shriners.

Oscar Shepard attended the district high school meeting at North Vernon yesterday.

Miss Mae Lehan, of Washington, is the guest of the Misses Pearl and Ruth Kaufman.

Max Watson and sister, Miss Marion went to Louisville this morning to spend the day.

Mrs. Glen Ernest and little daughter of Medora, were shopping in this city this morning.

Mrs. William Densford went to Cincinnati yesterday where she will spend several days.

John Donnell and son, Harold of Jennings county, were in this city yesterday afternoon.

Mr. and Mrs. J. H. Boake went to Louisville this afternoon to spend the day.

BOLLINGER'S Saturday Bulletin.

Fine 8 room modern home, North Walnut street, \$6,000.

Fine 8 room modern cottage North Walnut street, \$5,000.

Fine 10 room modern home, North Walnut street, \$7,500.

New 6 room modern bungalow, North Walnut street, \$2,750.

New 5 room cottage, gas and electricity, West Seventh, \$1,600.

Good 4 room cottage, West Fifth street, \$1,650.

Good 5 room cottage, summer kitchen and barn, West Fifth street, \$2,200.

Good 6 room cottage with bath, West Fourth street, \$2,000.

Good 6 room cottage with bath, South Walnut street, \$2,800.

New 6 room bungalow with bath, West Second street, \$2,350.

New 6 room bungalow with bath, South Broadway, \$2,350.

Fine well improved farm of 160 acres near Cortland, 100 per acre.

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Fine 94 acre sand, 1 1/2 miles from town, \$110 per acre.

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HENRY SIERP DEAD

Succumbs After Illness With Heart Disease.

Henry Sierp, a well known resident of this city, died about 1:15 o'clock this afternoon at his home on West Tipton street after suffering for several months with dropsy and heart disease. Although Mr. Sierp had been ill for some time his condition did not seem any worse during the last few days and his death comes as a shock to his family.

The deceased was sixty-three years of age and was born at Dudleytown in 1854 where he resided during the early part of his life. Later he moved to this city where he became employed in the draying business and continued in that capacity until about a year and a half ago when he was forced to retire because of ill health. During his life Mr. Sierp was united in marriage twice. Shortly after coming to this city his first wife died and about eighteen years later he was united in marriage to Mrs. Margaret Bruning. To this union were born two children, Charles Sierp and Mrs. Charles Albright who survive with five grandchildren. No funeral arrangements have been made.

DOBBS FUNERAL HELD AT LATE RESIDENCE TODAY

B. P. O. E. and K. of P. Conduct Ritualistic Services—Burial at Riverview Cemetery.

The last rites over the body of the late C. E. T. Dobbins were said this afternoon at the residence on North Chestnut street. Mr. Dobbins died Thursday afternoon following a ten days' illness with pneumonia. The Rev. J. H. More, pastor of the Presbyterian church, assisted by the Rev. E. R. Vest, conducted the funeral and the B. P. O. E. and K. of P. Lodges to which Mr. Dobbins belonged, also conducted ritualistic ceremonies. The pallbearers were members of the two lodges and were as follows: J. J. Peter, Judge John M. Lewis, George Peter, John Groub, J. J. Rottman, and J. L. Blair. The many floral designs and bouquets attested the high regard in which the deceased was held by his many friends. The remains were interred at Riverview cemetery.

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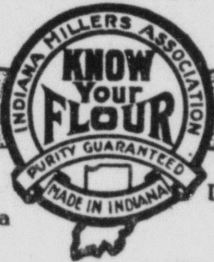
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Loose Rolled Oats, lb.6c
Double Dip Matches, box....5c
Climax Soap, 3 bars.....10c
Kings Pure Lard, lb.....25c
Kings Sugar Cured Jowl, lb.25c
Ginger Snaps, lb.10c
Sultana Raisins, lb.15c

Head Rice, 3 lbs.25c
Barley, lb.10c
Lump Starch, lb.5c
Argo Starch, box.....5c
Sweet Meal, 25 lb. bag....85c
Sweet Pickles, dozen....10c
Vinegar, gallon.....15c
Hoadley's Patent Flour, bag\$1.58
Crackers, lb.10c
Pretzels, lb.10c
Climax Wall Paper Cleaner, 2 cans15c



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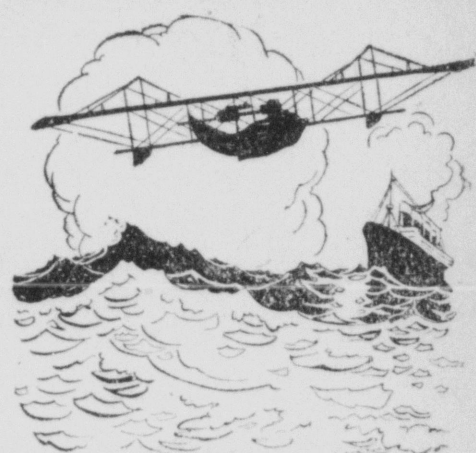


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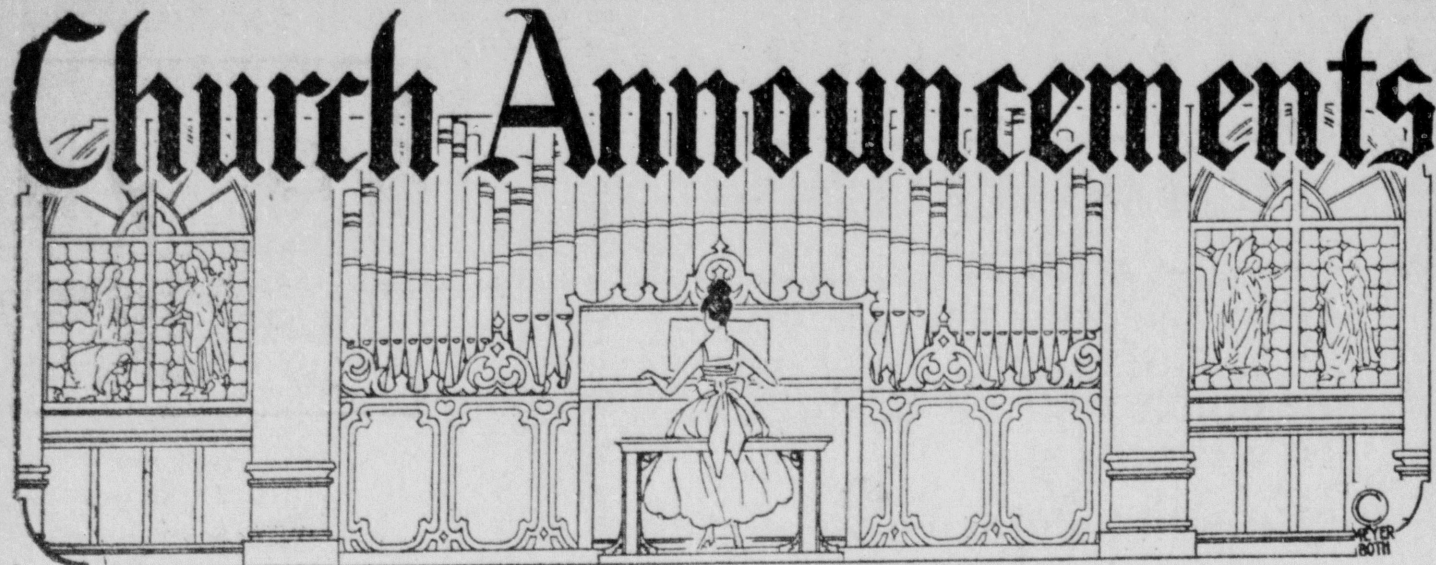
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First Methodist Church.

Sunday School 9:15 a. m. L. C. Griffiths, Superintendent. Come, and help make the Sunday School go. Morning Worship 10:30. Subject, "The King's Business." Evening Worship 7:30. Subject, "The Leprosy of Sin." Epworth League 6:30 p. m. The W. F. M. Society will entertain the Standard Bearers in the Sunday School room Tuesday evening. Prayer Meeting Wednesday evening 7:30. The Official Board will meet at the close of Prayer Meeting. This is an important meeting and all official members are urged to be present, and as many others as are interested in the success of our Church. The Home Department will meet with Mrs. Elser on East High street, Thursday 2:30. Ladies' Aid Society Friday afternoon. Choir Friday evening. J. H. Carnes, Pastor.

First Presbyterian Church.

9:15—Sunday School. We finish our tour of Latin America with a visit to Venezuela. Remember the offering for missions. 10:30—Morning service. Sermon on "Naaman, the Leper." Also a sermonette for the children. 6:30—Christian Endeavor. 7:30—Evening service. We continue our study of the social principles of Jesus by considering the "Social Test of Religion." Wednesday 7:30—Mid week meeting. We begin our study of the book of Job. Syllabi have been prepared and will be ready for distribution. The social hour which follows will be in charge of the Brotherhood. Remember the 100. Friday 7:15—Choir practice. 7:15—Boy Scouts at the Shields High School.

Christian Science.

Sunday School at 9:30 a. m. Sunday service at 10:45 a. m. Subject: "Doctrine of Atonement." Testimonial meeting every Wednesday at 7:30 p. m. To our services and to the reading room the public is cordially invited and welcome.

South West Mission.

The Southwest Mission Sunday school will meet at 2:00 p. m. for the regular Bible study. Place, corner Beech and Laurel streets. Come. Bring your neighbors.

German M. E. Church.

Sunday School. Regular session at 9:00 a. m. You are welcome. Preaching services. German divine service at 10:30 with sermon on: "The Narrow Gate." At 7:30 the Woman's Foreign Missionary Society has charge of the service. The annual thank-offering will be received and the semi-centennial of the Woman's Foreign Missionary of the Methodist Episcopal Church will be celebrated. The work of the society will be reviewed with the help of colored stereopticon slides accompanied by appropriate reading matter.

Epworth League. Both departments meet at the usual time. Jesse Hoover will address the Senior league on: "Courtesy as a Christian Grace." You are cordially invited to attend any and all of these services. William A. Schruoff, Pastor.

Nazarene Church.

Sabbath School 9:30 a. m. Be on time with some one with you tomorrow. Preaching 10:30 a. m. promptly. Subject, "Revival." Evangelistic service 7:30 p. m. Subject, "The Natural State of Man." Service in the afternoon at 3:00 p. m. at Colored M. E. Church on Tipton street. Band meeting Tuesday 7:30 p. m. Prayer meeting Thursday 7:30 p. m. We had a good day last Sunday. Our aim in life is to help men get to God. The public is invited to these services. Strangers welcome. C. P. Roberts, Pastor.

United Brethren Church.

Corner of Second and Broadway streets. Sunday School at 9:15 a. m. Preaching at 10:30 a. m. and 7:30 p. m. Christian Endeavor at 6:30 p. m. Prayer meeting Wednesday evening at 7:30 o'clock. S. S. Turley, pastor.

German Lutheran Church.

(Evangelical) 10:00 a. m. German service. There will be no service in the evening.

Park Mission.

Sunday School at 2:00. Prayer meeting Tuesday evening at 7:30.

First Baptist Church.

Sunday School 9:15 a. m. Preaching services 10:30 a. m. and 7:30 p. m. The pastor will preach on: "The Narrow Gate." B. Y. P. U. 6:30 p. m. Prayer Meeting Wednesday evening 7:30 o'clock. Sewing Society Friday afternoon 2 o'clock.

BAPTIST HOME DEPARTMENT.

Class No. 1 Thursday afternoon at 2:00 o'clock with Mrs. Grayson, East Sixth street. Class No. 3 Thursday afternoon at 2:30 o'clock with Mrs. Ed. Perkins, South Poplar street.

Central Christian Church.

Sunday School 9:30. Morning service 10:30. Christian Endeavor service 6:30. Evening service 7:30. Prayer meeting Wednesday 7:30. Loyal Devoir Society Tuesday evening with Miss Elsie Reynolds, West Second street. Ladies' Aid Society Friday afternoon with Mrs. W. Lawless, Indianapolis Avenue.

GLENLAWN MISSION.

Glenlawn Mission at 2:30 each Sunday afternoon.

St. Paul Evangelical Church.

(Congregational) Sunday School at 9:15 a. m. English Divine Worship at 10:30 a. m. and 7:30 p. m. Rev. E. R. Vest will preach. The board would like to meet the congregation at the close of the morning service. This is important to you all. Young People's Meeting at 6:45 p. m. H. Findley, Pres. of the Board.

St. Ambrose Catholic Church.

Low Mass at 8 a. m. High Mass at 10 a. m. Sunday School at 2 p. m. Vespers and Benediction 3 p. m.

Church of Christ.

Bible study at 10 o'clock. Communion service at 11 o'clock at southeast corner of Sixth and Chestnut street.

Woodstock Baptist Church.

Sunday school at 2:00 p. m. Junior Union and B. Y. P. U. at 6:30 p. m. Choir practice Thursday at 7:30 p. m.

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Palatable and Nourishing Food Can be Made from Surplus Milk.

Washington, April 21.—Cottage cheese, a delicious and nourishing food, can be made from skim milk which might otherwise go to waste say the dairy specialists of the U. S. Department of Agriculture. After removing the cream for coffee, the skim milk that is not needed for puddings, gravies, etc., can easily be made into cottage cheese. If the milk is sweet it should be placed in a pan and allowed to remain in a clean, warm place at a temperature of about 75 degrees until it clabbers. The clabbered milk should have a clean, sour flavor. Ordinarily this will take about 48 hours, but when it is desirable to hasten the process a small quantity of clean-flavored soured milk may be mixed with the sweet milk. As soon as the milk has thickened to the consistency of thin jelly, it should be cut into pieces the size of a walnut, after which the curd should be stirred thoroughly with a spoon. Place the pan of broken curd in a kettle of hot water so as to raise the temperature to 100 degrees F. Cook at that temperature for about 20 minutes, during which time stir vigorously with a spoon for one minute at five minute intervals. At the conclusion of the heating, pour the curd and whey into a small cheese-cloth bag (a clean salt bag will do nicely) and hang the bag

on a fruit strainer rack to drain. After five or ten minutes, work the curd toward the center with a spoon. Raising and lowering the ends of the bag helps to make the whey drain faster. To complete the draining, tie the ends of the bag together and hang it up. Since there is some danger that the curd will become too dry, draining should stop when the whey ceases to flow in a steady stream. The curd is then emptied from the bag and worked with spoon or butter paddle until it becomes fine in grain, smooth, and of the consistency of mashed potatoes. Sour or sweet cream may be added also, to increase the smoothness, palatability and flavor. Then it is salted according to taste, about one-quarter ounce to a pound of curd. Don't waste any skim milk; make it into cottage cheese.

Dog Notice.

Although police have disposed of over sixty dogs and people have been personally warned to take out license and have done so, there are still unlicensed dogs in the city. Prosecutions have been commenced against people known to be harboring dogs and who have been warned. No further personal warning will be given. All persons owning or harboring dogs within the city limits must either take out license and pay penalty of 50 cents or deliver dog to police station within forty-eight hours. After that time prosecution will follow as fast as persons violating the ordinance are located. CHAS. H. WALLACE, Chief Police.

W. H. Ecton went to North Vernon this morning where he will address a meeting of farmers this afternoon in the interest of the Food Production Movement. Mr. Ecton who travels for a large Implement house, will talk on the subject of farming implements. Advertise in the Republican. It pays

GOOD IN SOLITUDE

Affords Opportunity for a Man to Become More Conscious of God's Goodness.

"Loaf and invite your soul," was a pregnant suggestion of Walt Whitman. "Know thyself"—thy deeper self—was the pregnant advice of Socrates. In solitude we meet and get acquainted with our larger self. Here there is danger of morbid self-introspection, and of carrying worldly ills within. Our only escape from morbid self-consciousness is through becoming self-conscious of God. In silence—when alone with our deeper self we may become conscious not only of our larger self, but also of its envolving universal. "In me lives a greater than me." I live and move and have my being not merely in a physical or social universe.

Beneath the largely submerged iceberg, ensnawing and sustaining it, lies the fathomless ocean. Beneath, around our larger self, ensnawing, sustaining, energizing, is the omnipresent universal—call it God or what you will. Stay in the silence and resolutely lay aside all thought of self—resolutely relate yourself to the omnipresent universal that environs you and a sense of his presence will come. It will arouse the sense of the sublime. It will help you to worship God and to enjoy commerce with him. It will humble and exalt us so that we can smile—

to think God's greatness flows around our incompleteness, Round our restlessness, his rest.

That is the religion of silence—the conscious immediate personal contact, commerce, communion of the soul with God. In truth consciousness of the real self is not complete till one has attained the immediate consciousness of the envolving God. "Whither shall I go from thy presence?" (Psalm 139.) We are only complete in him. We are in God. Underneath are the everlasting

ing arms. In silence we may recognize the immanence of God—become immediately conscious of the great companion—the silent, often unrecognized, and sometimes practically disowned partner of our toiling-upward life.

First-Hand Knowledge Vital.

God soon fades out of the life of every man who does not have such first-hand knowledge of him as comes behind the closed door—in the silence. We may learn many things about God from tradition and on the authority of others or of the church. But this second-hand knowledge alone is not vitalizing.

The Psalmist sings to us, "The Lord is my Shepherd." That was first-hand knowledge, resting on personal experience and not on authority. We want to be able to have the same experience—personally to realize that God is our Shepherd. In silence we may have the testimony of the spirit—the spirit itself immediately (and not merely through tradition or external cult) bearing witness with our spirit that we are the children of God. In silence our soul may seek the soul of the universe until it grips and is gripped by the Holy Spirit of God. Go into the silence—shut the world of ordinary life out—and listen. Make the adventure, the experiment of the closet. Submit yourself to the discipline of aloneness with the great Alone. Celebrate the sacrament of silence and you will find a thrill of the divine more intense than any thrill of intense strenuous external activity. The inner light will stream through the east window of divine surprise and the inner life will be energized in conscious contact with the dynamo of the great Holy Spirit of God.—Exchange.

A Debated Question

By REV. L. W. GOSNELL Superintendent of Men, Moody Bible Institute, Chicago

TEXT—Watch therefore, for ye know neither the day nor the hour wherein the Son of Man cometh.—Matthew 25:13.

There has been much discussion as to the second coming of Christ. Many sincere Bible students do not seem able to reach a clear conviction on the subject. They are represented by an able and orthodox theologian who says: "this is the one subject in systematic theology which I would gladly avoid were such a course possible in fairness, for the data are so dubious as to meaning

in important places that I have been unable to reach such conclusions as amount to positive convictions." Such an expression of bewilderment should at least suggest the need of sympathy and patience in setting forth our views on this subject.

There are some things, however, which are evident. First of all, this theme has a prominent place in the New Testament, being referred to 308 times, or in one verse out of every 25. Again, the early church evidently thought her Lord might return at any time; if such an attitude were taken more than nineteen centuries ago, it would seem to be even more appropriate now.

Charles H. Spurgeon expresses himself in these sensible words: "Read for yourselves and search for yourselves; for still this stands first and is the only thing I will insist upon—the Lord will come. He may come now; he may come tomorrow; he may come in the first watch of the night, or the second watch, or he may wait until the morning watch, but the one word he gives us all is, 'Watch! Watch! Watch!' that whenever he shall come, we may be ready to open to him, and to say, in the language of the hymn,

Hallelujah! Welcome, welcome, Judge divine!" "So far as I know we are scriptural and therefore perfectly safe in our statements about the Lord's second advent."

Waiting.

First, we are "to await for his Son from heaven" (I Thess. 1:10).

Let us wait hopefully. The Thessalonian Christians were troubled as to their dead friends, lest they should miss one of the glories of the kingdom to be set up when he returns. But Paul bids them in the fourth chapter of his first epistle, not to sorrow, for the Lord will bring their friends with him. He explains that the Lord shall descend from heaven and, the very first thing, will raise the sleeping saints; then he will catch them up in clouds, together with the living ones, to meet him in the air, and so they shall be together, forever with the Lord. They are to comfort one another with these words.

Let us wait actively. St. Peter speaks of hastening the coming of the day of God (II Pe. 3:12 R. V. marg.). This we can do by being pure, living with our loins girt and laboring to extend the Kingdom. John Wesley was once asked how he would spend the time if he knew he were to die that night. He replied: "How, madam? Why just as I intend to spend it now. I should preach this night at Gloucester, and again at five tomorrow morning; after that I should ride to Tewkesburg, preach in the afternoon and meet the societies in the evening. I should then repair to friend Martin's house, who expects to entertain me, converse and pray with the family as usual, return to my room at ten o'clock, commend myself to my heavenly Father, lie down to rest and wake up in glory." Putting the coming of the Lord in the place of death we have here the correct attitude of the Christian.

Looking.

Another word is used in Titus 2:13: "Looking for that blessed hope and the appearing of the glory of our great God and Savior, Jesus Christ." This word, like the word "watch," expresses our earnest expectation of an event which may occur at any time. It is a favorite position with popular theologians today that Christ will never return to this earth. But even some who expect his return and expect it before the millenium tell us that certain events must occur before Christ can come back. Yet the one thing which seems to be made clear by the New Testament is the fact that Christ's coming may be at any time.

Loving.

The final word is found in II Timothy 4:8: "And not to me only, but unto all them also that love his appearing." Holy Samuel Rutherford well expresses this attitude. He says, "I dare not challenge myself, but his absence is like a mountain of iron on my very heart. O, my Lord, come over the mountains at one stride! O time, run, run and hasten the marriage day—for love is tormented with delays!" Reader, do you love his appearing?

Temperance Notes

MORE AND BETTER.

The argument that the workingman will lose his job if the liquor traffic is abolished is based upon the absurd proposition that, if the liquor dealer fails to get the money now spent for beer and whisky, nobody else will get it.

It is assumed that the farmer who now sells his grain and grapes, his apples and cherries, to the liquor interests will be compelled to destroy them; when the fact is that figures furnished by the United States government clearly indicate that the ability of the American farmer to raise enough grain to adequately supply this country is gradually decreasing. To listen to the defender of the saloon, one would think that nobody likes grapes and cherries and apples, unless they come in form of booze. There are millions of youngsters who would be delighted to have at least one chance to eat all the fruit they really need.—Charles Stelzle, Member of Machinists' Union, and Secretary of Church and Labor Department of Presbyterian Church.

Moderate Drinking.

The degeneration due to the so-called "moderate" consumption of alcohol is very similar to senile decay, in the opinion of Prof. G. Sims Woodhead, M. A., M. D., F. R. C. P., F. R. S. E., of England.

"Alcoholic degeneration, however," Professor Woodhead points out, "does not proceed equally in every part of the body. The weaker tissues are first attacked and the patient gives way at the weak link of the chain."

"Alcohol calls upon the reserve strength which ought to be held like a balance at the bank to meet sudden and unexpected emergencies. If you have such a physical reserve, you are able to tide over emergencies and wear out gradually, but if you let alcohol withdraw your balance, exhausting your reserve, you may become a physical bankrupt at any moment."

LET GO!

The story is told of a man who one night fell over a cliff. Thinking that bottom was hundreds of feet below, he clung to the edge as long as he could, crying for help. When, exhausted, he let go, he found that the good firm road was only a few inches under his feet.

Some there are who cling to the liquor traffic imagining that to let go means a drop into industrial chaos. But community after community has tried letting go of it. No disaster has followed. The good sound road of industry furnishes firm footing for all, individuals or communities, who let go of booze. And the drop to it is so short as to scarcely be noticeable by those who muster up courage to take it.—The Liberator.

NO CALLS FOR RELIEF.

"In 1915 I distributed over 600 garments and 98 pairs of shoes, besides medicines, etc.," states Mrs. S. J. Merry, chairman relief committee, Rose City Park (Ore.) W. C. T. U. "At the end of the fourth month of prohibition, calls for clothing, medicine and other assistance ceased. The supplies on hand remain uncalled-for."

REBUILDING ALWAYS IN MIND

Infinite Purpose Is to Construct Anew on the Ruins of What Has Been Outworn.

The minute you try to break bounds—in religion, in art, in worship, in business—you make yourself labor. For you make it necessary for your own freedom to spend itself creating new bounds. If the great sea, of which David wrote, were to decide to overflow its bounds, it would soon be necessary for it to wear away a new channel. Occasionally God's universe acts in that way. Wars and earthquakes, invention and revolution, upset the old landmarks, and then set even more cheerfully at work setting up new ones. Every revolutionist shouting from a Chicago soap box to-night will tell you that he wants to destroy only that he may build anew. Every party to the present war has an equally devout intention.

Now this ideal is wrong. It is intensely religious. Most anarchists, when you come to know them, are extremely religious men. St. John the Baptist, whom his age considered essentially an anarchist and a destroyer, was of this precise type. Destruction is not in itself a sin—if you have a clear and distinct idea of what you want to rebuild on the ruins of the old. It is not wrong to revolt against routine, if you can offer the world a better routine. It is merely foolish to destroy, if you only make it necessary for your fellow-men to begin all over again.—Wallace Herbert Blake.

ALWAYS A LOVING REFUGE

Human Heart May Pour Out Its Troubles to God, Being Sure of Finding Comfort.

"As one whom his mother comforteth, so will I comfort you." Paul, in writing to the Corinthians, takes up the strain running through the prophecy of Isaiah, saying, "Blessed be the God and father of our Lord Jesus Christ, the father of mercies and God of all comfort; who comforteth us in all our afflictions, that we may be able to comfort them that are in any affliction, through the comfort wherewith we ourselves are comforted of God."

As a child goes to his mother for comfort and for a certain kind of heart understanding, which his father seems unable to give, so the prophet pictures God with a heart and the feeling of a mother for his earthly children, sharing intimately with them their sorrows and partaking eagerly with them in their joys. God, whose name is "love," seems throughout the Bible to understand that there are certain experiences of the human heart too intimate and too sacred to be exposed even to the merest personal earthly friend. As only the earthly mother can hear with understanding sympathy certain confessions from her child, so Isaiah has pictured God as a loving refuge, into which human hearts may pour out their entire troubles without fear.

If this word should chance to come to one laden with sorrow or overcome with deep despair, let him recall the word of Jehovah: "As one whom his mother comforteth, so will I comfort you."

Science not less than theology is the inheritance of the Christian.—Bishop Lightfoot.

What loneliness is more lonely than distrust?—George Eliot.

KAZAN

JAMES OLIVER CURWOOD

CHAPTER XV.

Sandy's Method.

McTrigger dropped on his knees in the sand. The look of exultation was gone from his face. He twisted the collar about the dog's limp neck until he came to the worn plate, on which he could make out the faintly engraved letters K-a-z-a-n. He spelled the letters out one by one, and the look in his face was of one who still disbelieved what he had seen and heard.

"A dog!" he exclaimed again. "A dog, Sandy McTrigger an' a—a beauty!"

He rose to his feet and looked down on his victim. A pool of blood lay in the white sand at the end of Kazan's nose. After a moment Sandy bent over to see where his bullet had struck. His inspection filled him with a new and greater interest. The heavy ball from the muzzle-loader had struck Kazan fairly on top of the head. It was a glancing blow that had not even broken the skull, and like a flash Sandy understood the quivering and twitching of Kazan's shoulders and legs. He had thought that they were the last muscular throes of death. But Kazan was not dying. He was only stunned, and would be on his feet again in a few minutes.

Sandy was a connoisseur of dogs—of dogs that had worn sledge traces. He had lived among them two-thirds of his life. He could tell their age, their value, and a part of their history at a glance. In the snow he could tell the trail of a Mackenzie hound from that of a Malamute, and the track of an Eskimo dog from that of a Yukon husky. He looked at Kazan's feet. They were wolf feet, and he chuckled. Kazan was part wild. He was big and powerful, and Sandy thought of the coming winter, and of the high prices that dogs would bring at Red Gold City. He went to the canoe and returned with a roll of stout moose-hide babiche. Then he sat down cross-legged in front of Kazan and began making a muzzle. He did this by plaiting babiche thongs in the same manner that one does in making a web of a snow-shoe. In ten minutes he had the muzzle over Kazan's nose and fastened securely about his neck. To the dog's collar he then fastened a ten-foot rope of babiche. After that he sat back and waited for Kazan to come to life.

When Kazan first lifted his head he could not see. There was a red film before his eyes. But this passed away swiftly and he saw the man. His first instinct was to rise to his feet. Three times he fell back before he could stand up. Sandy was squatted six feet from him, holding the end of the babiche, and grinning. Kazan's fangs gleamed back. He growled, and the crest along his spine rose menacingly. Sandy jumped to his feet.

"Guess I know what you're figuring on," he said. "I've had your kind before. The d— wolves have turned

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you bad, an' you'll need a whole lot of club before you're right again. Now, look here."

Sandy had taken the precaution of bringing a thick club along with the babiche. He picked it up from where he had dropped it in the sand. Kazan's strength had fairly returned to him now. He was no longer dizzy. The mist had cleared away from his eyes. Before him he saw once more his old enemy, man—the club. All of the wild ferocity of his nature was roused in an instant. Without reasoning he knew that Gray Wolf was gone, and that this man was accountable for her going. He knew that this man had also brought him his own hurt, and what he ascribed to the man he also attributed to the club. In his never undertaking of things, born of freedom and Gray Wolf, man and club were one and inseparable. With a snarl he leaped at Sandy. The man was not expecting a direct assault, and before he could raise his club or spring aside Kazan had landed full on his chest. The muzzle about Kazan's jaws saved him. Fangs that would have torn his throat open snapped harmlessly. Under the weight of the dog's body he fell back, as if struck down by a catapult.

As quick as a cat he was on his feet again, with the end of the babiche twisted several times about his hand. Kazan leaped again, and this time he was met by a furious swing of the club. It smashed against his shoulder, and sent him down in the sand. Before he could recover Sandy was upon him, with all the fury of a man gone mad. He shortened the babiche by twisting it again and again about his hand, and the club rose and fell with the skill and strength of one long accustomed to its use. The first blows served only to add to Kazan's hatred of man, and the ferocity and fearlessness of his attacks. Again and again he leaped in, and each time the club fell upon him with a force that threatened to break his bones. There was a tense hard look about Sandy's cruel mouth. He had never known a dog like this before, and he was a bit nervous, even with Kazan muzzled. Three times Kazan's fangs would have sunk deep in his flesh had it not been for the babiche. And if the thongs about his jaws should slip, or break—

Sandy followed up the thought with a smashing blow that landed on Kazan's head, and once more the old barker fell limp upon the sand. McTrigger's breath was coming in quick gasps. He was almost winded. Not until the club slipped from his hand did he realize how desperate the fight had been. Before Kazan recovered from the blow that had stunned him Sandy examined the muzzle and strengthened it by adding another babiche thong. Then he dragged Kazan to a log that high water had thrown up on the shore a few yards away and made the end of the babiche rope fast to a dead snag. After that he pulled his canoe higher up on the sand, and began to prepare camp for the night.

For some minutes after Kazan's stunned senses had become normal he lay motionless, watching Sandy Mc-



Strengthened It by Adding Another Babiche Thong.

Trigger. Every bone in his body gave him pain. His jaws were sore and bleeding. His upper lip was smashed where the club had fallen. One eye was almost closed. Several times Sandy came near, much pleased at what he regarded as the good results of the beating. Each time he brought the club. The third time he prodded Kazan with it, and the dog snarled and snapped savagely at the end of it. That was what Sandy wanted—it was an old trick of the dog-slaver. Instantly he was using the club again, until with a whining cry Kazan slunk under the protection of the snag to which he was fastened. He could scarcely drag himself. His right forepaw was smashed. His hind-quarters sank under him. For a time after this second beating he could not have escaped had he been free.

Sandy was in unusually good humor.

"I'll take the devil out of you all right," he told Kazan for the twentieth time. "There's nothin' like beatin's to make dogs an' wimmin live up to the mark. A month from now you'll be worth two hundred dollars or I'll skin you alive!"

Three or four times before dusk Sandy worked to rouse Kazan's animosity. But there was no longer any desire left in Kazan to fight. His two terrific beatings, and the crushing blow of the bullet against his skull, had made him sick. He lay with his head between his forepaws, his eyes closed, and did not see McTrigger. He paid no attention to the meat that was thrown under his nose. He did not know when the last of the sun sank behind the western forests, or when the darkness came. But at last something roused him from his stupor. To his dazed and sickened brain it came like a call from out of the far past, and he raised his head and listened. Out on the sand McTrigger had built a fire, and the man stood in the red glow of it now, facing the dark shadows beyond the shoreline. He, too, was listening. What had roused Kazan came again now—the lost mourning cry of Gray Wolf far out on the plain.

With a whine Kazan was on his feet, tugging at the babiche. Sandy snatched up his club, and leaped toward him.

"Down, you brute!" he commanded. In the firelight the club rose and fell with ferocious quickness. When McTrigger returned to the fire he was breathing hard again. He tossed his club beside the blankets he had spread out for a bed. It was a different looking club now. It was covered with blood and hair.

"Guess that'll take the spirit out of him," he chuckled. "It'll do that—or kill 'im!"


Several times that night Kazan heard Gray Wolf's call. He whined softly in response, fearing the club. He watched the fire until the last embers of it died out, and then cautiously dragged himself from under the snag. Two or three times he tried to stand on his feet, but fell back each time. His legs were not broken, but the pain of standing on them was excruciating. He was hot and feverish. All that night he had craved a drink of water. When Sandy crawled out from between his blankets in the early dawn he gave him both meat and water. Kazan drank the water, but would not touch the meat. Sandy regarded the change in him with satisfaction. By the time the sun was up he had finished his breakfast and was ready to leave. He approached Kazan fearlessly now, without the club. Untying the babiche he dragged the dog to the canoe. Kazan slunk in the sand while his captor fastened the end of the hide rope to the stern of the canoe. Sandy grinned. What was about to happen would be fun for him. In the Yukon he had learned how to take the spirit out of dogs.

He pushed off, bow foremost. Bracing himself with his paddle he then began to pull Kazan toward the water. In a few moments Kazan stood with his forefeet planted in the damp sand at the edge of the stream. For a brief interval Sandy allowed the babiche to fall slack. Then with a sudden powerful pull he jerked Kazan out into the water. Instantly he sent the canoe into midstream, swung it quickly down with the current, and began to paddle enough to keep the babiche taut about his victim's neck. In spite of his sickness and injuries Kazan was now compelled to swim to keep his head above water. In the wash of the canoe, and with Sandy's strokes growing steadily stronger, his position became each moment one of increasing torture. At times his shaggy head was pulled completely under water. At others Sandy would wait until he had drifted alongside, and then thrust him under with the end of his paddle. He grew weaker. At the end of a half mile he was drowning. Not until then did Sandy pull him alongside and drag him into the canoe. The dog fell limp and gasping in the bottom. Brutal though Sandy's methods had been, they had worked his purpose. In Kazan there was no longer a desire to fight. He no longer struggled for freedom. He knew that this man was his master, and for the time his spirit was gone. All he desired now was to be allowed to lie in the bottom of the canoe, out of reach of the club, and safe from the water. The club lay between him and the man. The end of it was within a foot or two of his nose, and what he smelled was his own blood.

For five days and five nights the journey down-stream continued, and McTrigger's process of civilizing Kazan was continued in three more beatings with the club, and another resort to the water torture. On the morning of the sixth day they reached Red Gold City, and McTrigger put up his tent close to the river. Somewhere he obtained a chain for Kazan, and after fastening the dog securely back of the tent he cut off the babiche muzzle.

"You can't put no meat in a muzzle," he told his prisoner. "An' I want you to git strong—an' fierce as hell. I've got an idee. It's an idee you can lick your weight in wildcats. We'll pull off a stunt pretty soon that'll fill our pockets with dust. I've done it afore, and we can do it here. Wolf an' dog—s'elp me Satan but it'll be a drawin' card!"

Twice a day after this he brought fresh raw meat to Kazan. Quickly Kazan's spirit and courage returned to him. The soreness left his limbs. His battered jaws healed. And after the fourth day each time that Sandy came with meat he greeted him with the challenge of his snarling fangs. McTrigger did not beat him now. He gave him no fish, no tallow and meal—nothing but raw meat. He traveled five miles up the river to bring in the fresh entrail of a caribou that had been killed. One day Sandy brought an-






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other man with him and when the stranger came a step too near Kazan made a sudden swift lunge at him. The man jumped back with a startled oath. "He'll do," he growled. "He's lighter by ten or fifteen pounds than the Dane, but he's got the teeth, an' th' quickness, an' he'll give a good show before he goes under."

"I'll make you a bet of twenty-five per cent of my share that he don't go under," offered Sandy.

"Done!" said the other. "How long before he'll be ready?"

Sandy thought a moment.

"Another week," he said. "He won't have his weight before then. A week from today, we'll say. Next Tuesday night. Does that suit you, Harker?"

Harker nodded. "Next Tuesday night," he agreed. Then he added, "I'll make it a half of my share that the Dane kills your wolf-dog."

Sandy took a long look at Kazan. "I'll just take you on that," he said. Then, as he shook Harker's hand, "I don't believe there's a dog between here and the Yukon that can kill the wolf!"

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SIX O'CLOCK DINNER.

Mr. and Mrs. Charles Brandt were hosts at a six o'clock dinner Friday evening at their home on East Fourth street, honoring Rev. and Mrs. Adam Schmidt of St. Louis. Covers were laid for the host and hostess, the honor guests, Mr. and Mrs. Oscar Schmidt and children, Mr. and Mrs. Otto Schmidt and daughter, and Mr. and Mrs. Harmon Bosse and daughter.

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By United Press.

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More Smallpox Cases.

Two houses in Woodstock were quarantined late Friday afternoon by Dr. D. J. Cummings, county health officer, and Dr. M. F. Gerrish, secretary of city board of health. Several members of the family of Harry Robbins were found to be afflicted, although none of the cases is serious. Mrs. George Story was also quarantined. Several other suspected cases are being watched. The cases are very light and some of the patients thought they had contracted chickenpox.

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By United Press.

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